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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. SUSAN NELSON
 OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE

Subject: Official Visit of Pakistan Prime Minister Junejo to the U.S.: Request for appointment with the U.S. Trade Representative

Pakistan Prime Minister Mohammed Khan JUNEJO has accepted the invitation of the President to visit the U.S. He will be leading a delegation of senior Pakistani officials for a visit to Washington July 16-18, and will depart the U.S. July 22 after stops in Florida and New York July 19-21.

Prime Minister Junejo has presided over the lifting of martial law and the restoration of constitutional government during the last year. This is his first visit to the U.S., and we seek to involve him politically in the full range of our relations, including bilateral and multilateral trade issues. We want to insure that Junejo departs the U.S. with a full appreciation of our positions and an enhanced long-term stake in the US-Pakistan relationship.

The Pakistan Government has expressed its deep appreciation of the President's veto of the Jenkins Bill, which would have had a serious adverse impact on Pakistan's garment exports to the U.S. We understand, moreover, that the Prime Minister has put high priority on discussing U.S. bilateral textile import controls during his visit. We believe it important also that he obtain a fuller understanding of U.S. views on the MFA negotiations and the new GATT Round (including services).

A meeting with the U.S. Trade Representative would be one of the key substantive events of the Prime Minister's visit, affording him an opportunity to exchange views on issues of economic and political importance to Pakistan and the U.S. He will place particular weight in what Ambassador Yentzer will have to say on U.S. trade policy and protectionist pressures facing U.S. policy-makers.

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The Prime Minister will have a full schedule during his Washington visit, calling on the President on July 16 and meeting with the Secretaries of State and Defense on July 17. We recommend an appointment for the Prime Minister with the Trade Representative for Friday, July 18, at 10:30 am. Protocol dictates that the Trade Representative call on the Prime Minister at his suite at the Madison Hotel.

If a meeting is approved, we will work with the Trade Representative's office to make appropriate arrangements.

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Executive Secretary

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